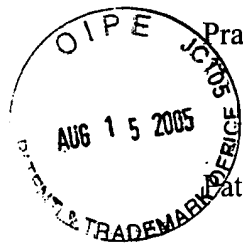


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Included herewith is an annotated copy of the claim 10 as amended by the Supplemental Examiner's Amendment and a clean copy of the corrected claim 10 as it should read.


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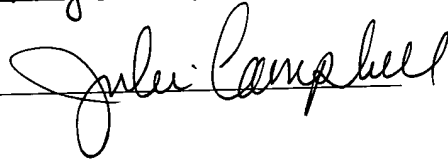
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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Please replace claim 10 as follows:

--10. The method of claim 9, further comprising preventing a creation of a pressure head in a tube that is coupled between an outlet of the bowl fill valve and an overflow tube in the toilet by integrating the bowl fill valve with a portion of the toilet fill valve.--

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